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Clifford Fenske and Gloria Fenske, Trustees for The Fenske Family Trust - 1

1	dismissing with prejudice all claims asserted by Plaintiffs Clifford Fenske and Gloria
2	Fenske, Individually and as Trustees for The Fenske Family Trust, as to defendant Olin
3	Corporation. All parties to bear their own costs and legal fees incurred to date in this action.
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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 1 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - SAN JOSE DIVISION 2 CLIFFORD FENSKE AND GLORIA Case No.: C 03-01848 RMW 3 FENSKE, Trustees for The Fenske ORDER DISMISSING WITH 4 Family Trust, PREJUDICE DEFENDANT OLIN **CORPORATION BY PLAINTIFFS** 5 Plaintiffs, **CLIFFORD FENSKE AND GLORIA** FENSKE, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS 6 TRUSTEES FOR THE FENSKE v. 7 **FAMILY TRUST,** OLIN CORPORATION, et al., 8 Defendants. 9 10 THIS MATTER coming on the motion of Plaintiffs Clifford Fenske and Gloria 11 Fenske, Individually and as Trustees for The Fenske Family Trust, and Defendant Olin 12 13 Corporation, for an order of dismissal with prejudice against the defendant OLIN 14 CORPORATION, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(2): 15 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED 16 The claims of Plaintiffs Clifford Fenske and Gloria Fenske, Individually and as 17 Trustees for The Fenske Family Trust, against Defendant Olin Corporation are dismissed 18 19 with prejudice, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Pro. 41(a)(2). Each party shall bear their own costs 20 and legal fees incurred to date in this action. 21 SO ORDERED: 22 AUG 1 1 2005 Ronard m. wayte 23 24 25 26 27

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